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Re Application of:

Michael Lee Gasperi et al.

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FOR DETERMINING A
SWITCHING SIGNAL STATE

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO
FINAL OFFICE ACTION MAILED JULY 12, 2006**

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Final Office Action mailed on July 12, 2006.